

**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**  
**COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF KILIFI**

**THE HANSARD**

**Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> November, 2017**

*The House met at the County Assembly Chamber,  
Malindi Town, at 2:30 p.m.*

*[The Speaker (Hon. Kahindi) in the Chair]*

**PRAYERS**

**COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR**

RE-CONFIGURATION OF THE CHAMBER MULTIMEDIA SYSTEM

**The Speaker** (Hon. Kahindi): Hon. Members, good afternoon. Now, I have three communications to make and then we shall move to adjourn the House until next week. First, you will realize that the system is not working today because there is some kind of repair that is going on, not repairs really but initially the microphones were programmed to accommodate 53 Members, now we have 54 Members. I am told to configure the 54<sup>th</sup> Member, there has to be a total configuration of the system. They tried to do it independently and it could not work so now they have to re-configure the whole system. There is a chair which is going to be put there for the other Member, so we are offline this week until next week.

NOMINEES FOR COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Two, the Office of the Speaker is in receipt of the nominees of the County Executive Committee Members from His Excellency the Governor. So, as a matter of procedure this list is going to be handed over to the Committee on Appointments which I Chair as a Speaker, and according to the law, we have 21 days within which we have to Table our Report in this House. So, that will be eventually be done.

KILIFI COUNTY FINANCE LEGISLATIVE PROPOSAL, 2017

Third Communication is that I have also received the County Finance Legislative Proposal, 2017 that would ultimately translate to the Finance Act. Now, under the normal procedure, the Finance Act is supposed to be passed 30 days after the passage of the Budget but as you are all aware, there has been a delay due to the transition process. However, there is still

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need for the County Assembly to pass the Finance Act which in my view will come into place sometime in February, so it will have four months of operation. We have received it and the Legal Office is going to have it gazzetted this week so in the course of next week it shall be tabled and handed over to the Budget Committee which will have 90 days to bring it back to the House and that takes us to February next year.

#### KILIFI COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES FY 2017/2018

Fourth and lastly, we have also received the Supplementary Budget for the County Government of Kilifi from the Executive side. I had a meeting with the managers and they are also doing a supplementary Budget for the County Assembly which again will be presented to this House on Monday and handed over to the Budget Committee. The Committee will have a short time to determine it and bring it back for approval.

Now, the County Assembly Supplementary Budget comprises of the figures which initially were allocated by the previous Assembly that go a long way in payment of allowances and all that which are not payable to Members. So the County Assembly has to re-allocate that amount of money to the areas which are required. Hon. Members, that brings us to the end of my communication.

Now, the House Business Committee has not received business from any Member. Other than what I have mentioned, my Office has not received any business and therefore I am inclined to adjourn the House until Monday next week so that we will have business to deal with but immediately after this session, please, I need just five minutes to have an informal *Kamkunji* to highlight on some issues before we can break for the week. Thank you very much.

#### ADJOURNMENT

Hon. Members, in the absence of any other business, I move to adjourn the House until next week. Thank you.

**The House rose at 2:43 p.m.**